ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪ.—ಬಂದಿದೆ. ಬೆಂಗಳೂರಿನಲ್ಲಿ ಯಾವ ರೀತಿ scare ಇತ್ತೋ ಅದೇ ರೀತಿ ದಾವಣಗೆರೆಯಲ್ಲೂ ಇತ್ತು. ಈಗ ತಣ್ಣಗಾಗಿದೆ.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.—ಹೀಗೆ ಆಗುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣವೇನು? ಏನು ಬಂದೋಬಸ್ತು ಮಾಡಿದ್ದೀರಿ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪ.—Crimes ಮತ್ತು offences ಆಗುವುದು ಮನುಷ್ಯ ಇರುವವರೆಗೂ ಆಗುತ್ತಲೇ ಇರುತ್ತದೆ. ಅದು ನಿಜವೆ, ವಾಸ್ತವ ಯಾವುದು, ನರಿಯೆ, ತಪ್ಪೇ, ಆ ರೀತಿ ನಡೆದಿದೆಯೇ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ನೋಡಬೇಕು.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.—ಮನುಷ್ಯ ಯಾವಾಗಲೂ ಇದ್ದೇ ಇದ್ದಾನೆ; ಅದಲ್ಲ, ಇತ್ತೀಚೆಗೆ ಈ ರೀತಿ ಕಳವು ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗುತ್ತಾ ಇರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಕಾರಣ ಏನು ಅಂತ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪ.—ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂದು ಆಗಲೇ ಅರಿಕೆ ಮಾಡಿಕೊಂಡೆ.

ಶ್ರೀಮತಿ ಬಳ್ಳಾರಿ ಸಿದ್ದಮ್ಮ.—ಪೋಲೀಸ್‌ನವರು ತಮ್ಮ ಕರ್ತವ್ಯವನ್ನು ನರಿಯಾಗಿ ಮಾಡದೇ ಇದ್ದಾರೆ, ಆದ್ದರಿಂದಲೇ ಈ ರೀತಿಯಾಗಿದೆ ಎಂಬುದು ಎದ್ದು ಕಾಣುತ್ತಿದೆ, ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ಒಪ್ಪಿಕೊಳ್ಳುತ್ತೀರಾ?

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಚ್. ಸಿದ್ದವೀರಪ್ಪ.—ನಾನು ತಮ್ಮ ಮುಂದೆ ಆಂಕಿ ಅಂಶಗಳನ್ನು ಇಡುತ್ತೇನೆ. ಆ ಅಂಕಿ ಅಂಶಗಳೇ ತಾವು ಹೇಳುತ್ತಾ ಇರುವುದಕ್ಕೆ ಆಧಾರ ನರಿಯಾಗಿಲ್ಲ ಎಂಬುದನ್ನು ತೋರಿಸುತ್ತವೆ.

ಶ್ರೀ ಎಂ. ಚಿಕ್ಕಲಿಂಗಯ್ಯ.—ಈ ಹೊಸ ಐ.ಜಿ. ಸಾಹೇಬರಿಗೂ ಇವರ ಕೆಳಗಿರತಕ್ಕ ಅಧಿಕಾರಿಗಳಿಗೂ ಸೌಹಾರ್ದ, ಸಹಕಾರ ಇಲ್ಲದೆ ಒಬ್ಬರಿಗೊಬ್ಬರಿಗೆ ಹೊಂದಿಕೊಂಡು ಕೆಲಸಮಾಡುತ್ತಾ ಇಲ್ಲದೇ ಇರುವುದರಿಂದ ಈ ರೀತಿ ಕೃತ್ಯಗಳು ಹೆಚ್ಚಾಗುತ್ತಾ ಇರುವುದು ಸರ್ಕಾರದ ಗಮನಕ್ಕೆ ಬಂದಿದೆಯೇ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—I stoutly deny that. It is not correct. There is perfect cordiality.

Traffic Supervisors, State Road Transport Department.

Q.—260. Sri M. LINGANNA (Nanjangud).—

Will the Government be pleased to state :

(*a*) the number of Supervisors (Inspectors) employed in State Road Transport Department;

(*b*) what their cadre is;

(*c*) whether their cadre permits any preferential treatment in regard to their pay and promotion;

(*d*) what the qualifications needed for a Supervisor are?

A.—Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA (Minister for Home and Industries).—

(*a*) (i) Senior Traffic Supervisors 4
(ii) Traffic Supervisors ... 5
(iii) Assistant Traffic Supervisors 2

(*b*) 1. Senior Traffic Supervisors Rs. 150—10—200.

2. Traffic Supervisors Rs. 100—10—150.

3. Assistant Traffic Supervisors Rs. 80—5—120.

(*c*) No.

(*d*) Candidates must be Graduates of the Mysore University or any recognised University.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact that since 20th September 1954 all these nine Senior Traffic Supervisors and Traffic Supervisors have been designated as merely Traffic supervisors?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Yes, Sir.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact that out of 9, 6 were appointed by means of one Government Order?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—I do not know about the Government Order; all of them were appointed at the same time.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact, Sir, that out of these six only four people are upgraded as Senior Traffic Supervisors?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Yes.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—May I know the considerations for doing so?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Their seniority and efficiency in service.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact that all these six people were appointed on the same day and if so, why all of them have not been promoted?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—There were only four senior posts and according to seniority four of them have been appointed to those posts.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—What are the merits and qualifications that have been considered by the Government in making these promotions?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Efficiency, good work and their interest to do the work of the Department.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact that one of those who have been upgraded is a person against whom there are charges of misconduct and misappropriation and now under suspension?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—He is not upgraded.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact that the Government Order tells that in place of Chandrasekhara Naidu one Sri Govindappa be appointed ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—If he is proved guilty, probably his case will be considered.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Have the Government looked into the files pending before them and satisfied themselves whether there has been any guilt ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—The Government have carefully examined.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not after being satisfied about the guilt of a person that an official will be kept under suspension ? Is it not a fact that charges have even been framed ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—The mere framing of charges does not mean that one is guilty.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—May I know why the Government have left out the other two people who were appointed on the same day when they have upgraded others as Senior Traffic Supervisors ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—The Department needed only four and these four have been appointed according to seniority. If there is need for more, we will examine the position.

Mr. SPEAKER.—The Hon'ble Member is entering into too many details which may not be pertinent and relevant.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—I submit to the ruling of the Chair, Sir. But I will never put one question which is outside the scope of the main question.

Is it not a fact that out of these six people, the two that have been left over have put in most efficient service and their records are clean and good ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—As I have said, there was need only for four appointments and those four cases were considered on two grounds—seniority and good work. You may be pleased to see that except one whose case has not been considered, the rest are all according to seniority.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Is it not a fact that the General Manager recommended to Government that they should upgrade all on the same date and on the same scale of pay ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—We had discussion with all the officers and this recommendation was accepted.

Sri K. PATTABHIRAMAN.—Is it a case of up-grading or promotion ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—Sir, I will place the actual Government Order on the Table of the House; it is dated 20th September 1954.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—You were pleased to say that only one was left out when this upgrading was done on the basis of merit and seniority. May I know whether there is anything against that man who was left out ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—There is nothing.

Sri M. LINGANNA.—Then, Sir, does it not amount to discrimination ?

Sri H. SIDDAVEERAPPA.—As I have already said, Government never had any discrimination in view. It was then decided that there was need to have four Senior Traffic Supervisors' posts. Those that were suitable according to seniority were taken. If there was any case of discrimination or a case for consideration in the case of any other officer, I will certainly look into it.

Bellara Gold Mines.

Q.—365. Sri SYDNEY A. THOMAS (Nominated).—

Will the Government be pleased to state:—

(*a*) whether the Report on the Bellara Gold Mines by the Mining Engineer of Messrs. John Taylor & Sons will kindly be placed on the Table of the House ;